



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Xiaomao Li Confirmation No.: 5549  
Appl'n. No. : 09/462,816  
Filed : April 5, 2000  
Title : NUCLEIC ACID VACCINES ENCODING G PROTEIN  
OF RESPIRATORY SYNCYTIAL VIRUS  
Grp./A.U. : 1635  
Examiner : Brian A. Whiteman  
Docket No. : 1038-1003 MIS:jb  
Date : June 15, 2004

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Commissioner of Patents  
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

Petition is hereby made under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) for an extension of three months of the period for response to the outstanding Office Action on this case. Our enclosed cheque includes the amount of the prescribed fees.

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1 to 9, 13 and 14. Our enclosed cheque includes the amount of the prescribed fees.

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